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Confirmation No.: 7768 Docket: 178-289
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For: POLYMER SOLUTION FOR
SEPARATION OF
CHARGED
MACROMOLECULES BY
ELECTROPHORESIS

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner,
mailed July 16, 2003, finally rejecting Claims 1-10.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of

- ☐ other than a small entity.
☒ small entity.

A verified statement claiming small entity status

- ☐ is attached.
☐ was already filed on _____.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION (37 CFR 1.8a)

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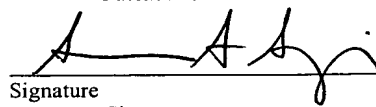
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2. **FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	small entity	\$165.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	other than small entity	\$325.00

Notice of Appeal fee due **\$165.00**

3. **EXTENSION OF TERM**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

(complete (A) or (B), as applicable)

(A) ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

	Extension (months)	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 420.00	\$210.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 950.00	\$475.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00

Fee due for indicated extension **\$210.00**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

☐ An extension for 0 months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$0 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request **\$210.00**

(B) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

4. **TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee	\$ <u>165.00</u>
Extension fee (if any)	\$ <u>210.00</u>

TOTAL FEE DUE **\$ 375.00**

5. **FEE PAYMENT**

☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$0

☒ Charge Account No. 08-2461 the sum of \$375.00

A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.


6. **FEE DEFICIENCY**

☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required or any overpayment has been made, please charge or credit our Deposit Account No. **08-2461** accordingly for such sum.

AND/OR

☒ If any additional fee for claims is required or any overpayment has been made, please charge or credit our Deposit Account No. **08-2461** accordingly for such sum.

Respectfully submitted,



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